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MILITARY CADRE SCHOOL REGULATIONS PROVIDE FREE EDUCATION TO ACCEPTABLE CANDIDATES

On 25 December 1950, the Political Department of the People's Revolutionary Military Council, Central People's Government of China, issued regulations pertaining to enrollment, procedure of application, educational requirements, and length of course in military cadre schools. Free education will be provided to acceptable candidates.

Peiping, 25 December (Hsin-hua) -- On 25 December 1950, the Political Department of the People's Revolutionary Military Council, issued the following regulations pertaining to military cadre schools:

- 1. Any patriotic young intellectual, specialist, or technician, with good character and health, possessing a pure ideological concept and the necessary education, between 16 and 25 years of age, and willing to serve in the country's national defense and construction program, may apply for enrollment in a military cadre school.
- 2. The applicant must submit letters of introduction from a relevant people's government of ch'u level or higher, and from an organized people's group.
- The length of course, educational requirements, and percentage of female students accepted in different military cadre schools are as follows:

Medical colleges -- Four-year course. First grade or above in a middle or higher school, or equivalent education required. Fifty percent of those students accepted may be females.

Secondary medical schools -- Two years. First grade or above in a primary or middle school, or equivalent education required. Fifty percent of the students accepted may be females.

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Telecommunications institutes - Two years. Graduate of a middle or higher school, or equivalent education required. Fifteen percent of the students accepted may be females.

Elementary communications schools -- Eighteen months. First grade or above in a middle or higher school, or equivalent education required. Fifteen percent of the students accepted may be females.

Journalism schools -- Nine months. First grade or above in a primary or middle school, or equivalent education required. Fifteen percent of the students accepted may be females.

Advanced rear service schools -- Two years. First grade or above in a middle or higher school, or equivalent education required. Ten percent of the students accepted may be females.

Elementary rear service schools - One year. First grade or above in a primary or middle school, or equivalent education required. Ten percent of the students accepted may be females.

Public security cadre schools -- Six months. Graduate of a primary, middle school, or higher school required. Twenty percent of the students accepted may be females.

Foreign-Language or Russian-language schools -- Two to three years. Second grade or above in a middle or higher school, or equivalent education required. Seven percent of the students accepted may be females.

- 4. Each applicant must express preference as to schools so that students can be apportioned in accordance with their wishes and also by their qualifications as measured against over-all needs.
- 5. Each school will furnish room, board, books, and uniforms for students. After graduation, a suitable job will be assigned in military units to each graduate.

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